

CITY OF TIGARD, OREGON

RESOLUTION NO. 04- 11

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE FORMATION OF ELECTRIC PEOPLE'S UTILITY DISTRICTS IN THE STATE OF OREGON

WHEREAS, Portland General Electric has served Oregon for over one hundred years; and

WHEREAS, in Multnomah County, Oregon, the voters rejected the creation of a People's Utility District; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon Public Power Coalition has stated its intention to continue to create Electric People's Utilities Districts in Clackamas, Marion, Polk, Washington and Yamhill Counties in the State of Oregon; and

WHEREAS, the creation of a new government utility would eliminate private sector jobs and diminish local tax revenues creating an adverse impact on the overall economy; and

WHEREAS, condemnation proceedings brought by People's Utility District against the assets of a private utility business would result in protracted litigation and a great cost.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tigard City Council that: the City Council of the City of Tigard opposes the formation of People's Utility Districts and condemnation of the asset and utility distribution systems of private utility companies in the State of Oregon for the reasons set forth above.

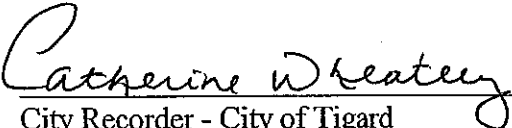
SECTION 1: This resolution is effective immediately upon passage.

PASSED: This 24th day of February 2004.



Mayor - City of Tigard

ATTEST:



City Recorder - City of Tigard

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